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For: STEEL WHEEL-TYPE LINEAR MOTOR	) ) )

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2009, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: